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# CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

RE: Case No. 2006-00019 North Hopkins Water District

I, Beth O'Donnell, Executive Director of the Public Service Commission, hereby certify that the enclosed attested copy of the Commission's Order in the above case was served upon the addressee by U.S. Mail on January 27, 2006.

**Executive Director** 

BOD/jc Enclosure



#### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF NORTH HOPKINS	)	
WATER DISTRICT FOR A PURCHASED	) CASE NO. 2006-0001	9
WATER ADJUSTMENT	)	

# ORDER

On January 13, 2006, North Hopkins Water District ("North Hopkins") applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure. KRS 278.015 and 807 KAR 5:068.

The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

- 1. North Hopkins purchases water from the city of Madisonville ("Madisonville").
- 2. Madisonville notified North Hopkins that, effective February 1, 2006, Madisonville's wholesale water rate to North Hopkins would decrease from \$2.19 per 1,000 gallons to \$2.17 per 1,000 gallons.
- 3. During the 12 months ending December 31, 2005, North Hopkins purchased 74,019,000 gallons from Madisonville and sold 65,878,470. The decrease in the cost of purchased water is (\$1,480), resulting in a purchased water adjustment factor of (\$0.02) per 1,000 gallons.
- 4. The purchased water adjustment of (\$0.02) per 1,000 gallons is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.

#### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. North Hopkins' proposed rates are approved.
- 2. The purchased water adjustment of (\$0.02) per 1,000 gallons and the rates in Appendix A, attached hereto and incorporated herein, are fair, just, and reasonable and are approved for water service rendered on and after February 11, 2006.
  - 3. The proposed tariff sheets filed by North Hopkins are accepted as filed.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 27th day of January, 2006.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director

#### APPENDIX A

# APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2006-00019 DATED January 27, 2006

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by North Hopkins Water District. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

# **Monthly Water Rates**

5/8 x 3/4 h	nch Meter					
First	2,000	gallons	\$ 20.04	Minimum bill		
Next	2,000	gallons	9.72	per 1,000 gallons		
Next	3,000	gallons	7.37	per 1,000 gallons		
Next	3,000	gallons	6.22	per 1,000 gallons		
Over	10,000	gallons	4.42	per 1,000 gallons		
3/4" Meter						
First	3,000	gallons	\$29.76	Minimum bill		
Next	1,000	gallons	9.72	per 1,000 gallons		
Next	3,000	gallons	7.37	per 1,000 gallons		
Next	3,000	gallons	6.22	per 1,000 gallons		
Over	10,000	gallons	4.42	per 1,000 gallons		
1" Meter						
First	5,000	gallons	\$46.85	Minimum bill		
Next	2,000	gallons	7.37	per 1,000 gallons		
Next	3,000	gallons	6.22	per 1,000 gallons		
Over	10,000	gallons	4.42	per 1,000 gallons		
1-1/2" Meter						
First	10,000	gallons	\$80.25	Minimum bill		
Over	10,000	gallons	4.42	per 1,000 gallons		
2" Meter						
First	15,000	gallons	\$ 102.35	Minimum bill		
Over	15,000	gallons	4.42	per 1,000 gallons		
3" Meter						
First	30,000	gallons	\$ 168.65	Minimum bill		
Over	30,000	gallons	4.42	per 1,000 gallons		